

This electronic newsletter is designed to keep you current on issues affecting the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

DSC meeting to set the stage for the Delta Plan's final draft The Delta Stewardship Council (DSC) will conclude a two-day meeting tomorrow, March 30, in West Sacramento with continued discussion on direction for the sixth staff draft of the Delta Plan. The topics include a number of changes and recommendations outlined in this document. The DSC website also makes reference to the sixth draft as the final staff draft.

Delta Conservancy releases draft plan to outline future role The Delta Conservancy has released a <u>draft strategic plan</u> that outlines its role in the future of the Delta. Three public work sessions to discuss the plan will be held next month in Rio Vista, Clarksburg and Oakley. The conservancy's website has the meeting schedule and instructions for submitting comments. The comments are due by Friday, April 20.



River basins study recieves \$1 million in federal funding The U.S. Bureau of Reclamation is providing more than \$1 million for a water study in the Sacramento-San Joaquin River Basins. The study will assess the potential impact of climate change on water supply, demand and agricultural productivity. A bureau news release has details on the study and other water studies being funded in Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, New Mexico and Oklahoma.

Water technology conference set for May in Fresno County The 2012 Water Technology Conference is set for May 2 and 3, in Clovis. Presented by the International Center for Water Technology at California State University, Fresno, the conference offers seminars and exhibits with the latest information on water science and policy. Details and the schedule are available in this flier.



Ag water measurement regulation open for public comments DWR is seeking public comments on recent revisions to a proposed agricultural water measurement regulation. The changes are based on responses from stakeholders and the California Water Commission. The modified version and instructions for submitting comments are available on the DWR website. The comment period ends Wednesday, April 11.

Citizen commission to finalize details for wildlife strategic vision On Friday, March 30, a <u>blue ribbon citizen commission</u> will meet in Sacramento to discuss the California Fish and Wildlife Strategic Vision Project. The commission will finalize recommendations for the plan that will be used by the California Department of Fish and Game and the California Fish and Game Commission. The final strategic vision is expected to be delivered to the governor and the Legislature next month.





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